

# *Father's House Fellowship*

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*September 23, 2018*

## *Monday Prayer Meeting*

12:00PM

## *Sunday Worship*

Sunday School 9:45

11:00 A.M. (nursery available)

## *Wednesday Bible Study*

7:00 P.M. (nursery available)

## *Youth Night*

Friday, 7:00 P.M.

*Sermon*

*Pastor Phil Noel*

## *Announcements*

*Food collection for Bread of Life Missions*

*Water Baptism Sunday, September 30th following church service*

*Sunday, September 30th Substitute Sunday School*

*Sunday, September 30th Extra offering to help support the food pantry.*

*Food Pantry Saturday, October 6th 9-12PM*

*Sunday, October 7th New Members Fellowship Dinner following church*

## *Prayer Requests*

*Connie McGinley, Reginal Lafortune, Penny, Deborah, John Gould, Juan Guerra, Elsa & Alberto Weissfisch, Josh Williams, Nelson Borerro, Grace Maltese, Nadia, Neal Calello, Linda, Todd, Lonna Russo, Louise Carbanaro, Jonathan Russo, Emmanuel Numa, Christopher Hazard, Miss Barbara, Stephanie Allen, Alyssa, Eddy & mother, Jackie, Cindy, Stephanie, Marissa, Kaylan, Doretta Rockwell, David Merigold, William S. Hazard, Nicole Gould, Pam McKeggan, Joe Brown, Lydia K., Steven Genik, David Herbert, James Douglas, Dakota Jones, Nayara Arroyo, Malcolm & Emily, Tracey Trost, Sharon Eisele & family, Bob, Terry Soto, Serayah Allen, Matthew Brooks, Lisa Henderson & family, Jerry Donnelly, Eric Carbanaro, Mickey McPherson,*

*Soldiers serving our country – Sean Johnson, Elijah Noel, Lepskey Nore, Sean Holy, Andrew Smith, Ronnie Fray, Matthew McAlpine, Emily Starbird, Jeremiah Slack*

*Please our missions in your prayers Shepherd's Flock, New Missions (Haiti and the Dominican Republic), and HOE Ministries*

## *Healing Scripture*

*John 10:10*

*The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.*

### **Matthew 10:28**

**And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul; but rather fear Him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell.**

We have come to a time in our society where standing on the word of God to defend your position about abortion, homosexuality, adultery, or any other moral standard may cause you to be labeled a bigot. Christians have been silent on many issues for so long that now when Christians speak out it appears we hate people. The problem stems from believing love was to be silent and not speak the truth of the word of God. This is a lie, if you really love someone you will give them the truth of the scripture and allow them to make their own decision whether they choose to go against God's word or not. We want everyone to like us, but wherever Jesus went people either loved Him or hated Him because He spoke the truth. Jesus told the people He only did what He saw the Father do. In 1973 the Supreme Court made the decision to allow abortion saying if there ever was proof that the fetus was a living being it would have all the rights and protection any human had. Today scientific evidence shows that the heartbeat of the baby begins at 22 days. God is all about life, death is the last enemy, yet so many are deceived that abortion is only eliminating a hunk of tissue and is free of guilt, and shame. In Leviticus 18:22 it is written thou shalt not lie with mankind, as with womankind: it is an abomination. Has God changed, no, our society has, and what was once immoral is now being accepted even by some churches. Does that mean we hate people? Again, no, Christians who love God love people, and are willing to be hated for standing up for the truth. The Captain of our salvation was made perfect through suffering should we be any different? If you really love people, then you must study your Bible and be prepared to defend the faith. It is far too easy to be a Christian and sit back trusting in salvation, but not having any works worthy of your love for God. Jesus left the church to be the light of the world, how bright is your light shining? Judy Onofri